

#3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:)
)
Fischer et al.)
)
 Serial No.: **09/700,099**)
)
 I.A. Filing Date: **May 11, 1999**)
)
 Priority Date: **May 12, 1998**)
)
 For: **LOW-EMISSION FLOOR COVERING**)

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
 Box PCT
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed November 28, 2000, Applicants submit the following: (1) Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application; (2) \$130.00 fee; and (3) Form PCT/DO/EO/905.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiencies or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 09-0528.

12/14/2000 TV0111 00000040 09700099

01 FC:154

130.00 OP

Respectfully submitted,



Steven L. Schmid
 Registration No. 39,358
 James F. Vaughan
 Registration No. 31,889

Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, PLLC
 P.O. Box 725388
 Atlanta, GA 31139-9388
 (404) 962-7539 (Telephone)
 (404) 870-8234 (Facsimile)

Docket No.: D078 1090

ATLANTA #233088 v 1

Certificate of Mailing

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Box PCT, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on:

December 8, 2000

